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SENATE MEMORIAL 1002

A MEMORIAL

URGING THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROVIDE MONIES TO THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BIA ROUTES N9901 AND N9065.

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To the United States Department of Transportation:

Your memorialist respectfully represents:

Whereas, pursuant to Navajo Nation Code 4048(a), Teesto Chapter is a certified chapter of the Navajo Nation Council with vested authority to adopt local ordinances, approve plans and take a position on matters of local concern that is in the best interest of local people and the Navajo Nation; and

Whereas, Route N9901 is an existing graded road from Seba Dalkai, Arizona traveling westerly for approximately ten miles towards Tolani Lake to the Fort Defiance Agency boundary line; and

Whereas, Route N9065 is also a gravel road between Na'ahtee Road and Teesto, Arizona N501 to N6 approximately twenty miles, and they are on the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Fort Defiance Agency Road priority list; and

Whereas, a Seba Dalkai Boarding School bus runs daily on these roads to pick up and drop off students, and the Headstart Teesto Chapter, Teesto Senior Citizen Center and residents in this area use these roads as well. Wherefore your memorialist, the Senate of the State of Arizona, prays:

- 1. That the United States Department of Transportation provide monies to the Arizona Department of Transportation to construct BIA Routes N9901 and N9065 on the Navajo Reservation.
- 2. That the Secretary of State of the State of Arizona transmit copies of this Memorial to the Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation and the Director of the Arizona Department of Transportation.

PASSED BY THE SENATE MARCH 1, 2010.

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